



# Homebrew

## Bulletin Board

### survey hcc

*homebrew computer club*

*At the meeting January 19, 1977*

This survey was taken during the Homebrew Computer Club regular meeting on January 19, 1977. Approximately 240 people attended the meeting. The survey shows a remarkable number of personal computers in use by the club with many systems running with 8K bytes or more of memory. Seventy-five percent of this group own computer systems. Projecting this percentage of computers in operation to the 1500 people that receive the Homebrew Computer Club NEWSLETTER would indicate 1125 computers owned by the group. There is plenty of room for error in this type of projecting but it is a very good indication of the investment of club members in personal computer products. □

### random data

*by robert reiling*

Personal and home computing continue to interest more and more people. The hobbyist clubs are expanding, more computer stores are opening, new products are being announced, magazines devoted to personal computers are increasing in number, and predictions are being made about where we are going. A few people are attempting to determine what has happened in the past two years and how many computers and computer people are out there.

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### hcc meetings

Homebrew Computer Club Meeting  
Schedule For Remainder of 1977

March 16 and 30  
April 15 and 29  
May 13 and 25  
June 8 and 22  
July 6 and 20  
August 3, 17 and 31  
September 14 and 28  
October 12 and 26  
November 9 and 23  
December 7 and 21

All dates are subject to change or cancellation. If a change does occur, advance notice will be published in the NEWSLETTER if time permits. □

**CLUB LIBRARY**—Gordon French, club librarian, has lots of interesting material and is able to loan it to anyone with a definite need, but... please adhere to the following:

✧ Limit your telephone calls to the hours of 7PM to 9PM weekdays only. This is important. Gordon's phone number is (415) 325-4209 in Menlo Park.

✧ Be specific with your request and Gordon can probably help you—he cannot randomly review the contents of the library for you.

✧ No reproductions will be made of any materials.

✧ All materials loaned must be returned so they are available for others to use in the future.

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*COMPUTER CLUB NEWSLETTER* IS NEEDED. PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM,  
& RETURN IT WITH YOUR DONATION. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO  
"HOMEBREW COMPUTER CLUB."

MAIL THIS FORM AND YOUR DONATION TO: HOMEBREW COMPUTER CLUB  
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PLEASE CONSIDER THAT THE MINIMUM COST OF PROVIDING THE *NEWSLETTER*  
TO YOU IS \$6 PER YEAR. THIS COVERS THE BARE BONES EXPENSES, & DOES  
NOT ALLOW FOR USE OF ANY PHOTOS. A \$10 DONATION WILL PROVIDE SOME  
FLEXIBILITY IN THE BUDGET, & EASE THE *NEWSLETTER* STAFF'S BURDEN. A  
SLIGHTLY LARGER DONATION WOULD REALLY BE APPRECIATED, SAY \$12, &  
THEN MAYBE WE COULD THINK ABOUT ADDITIONAL CLUB SERVICES.

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- ( ) I PLAN TO SUBMIT ARTICLE(S) TO THE *NEWSLETTER* AS FOLLOWS:

TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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- ( ) DURING 1977 I EXPECT TO PURCHASE PERSONAL COMPUTER EQUIPMENT  
AS FOLLOWS: \_\_\_\_\_

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THE *NEWSLETTER*? \_\_\_\_\_

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE EDITOR OF A COLUMN? ( ) Yes, ( ) No  
SUBJECT \_\_\_\_\_